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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE ON REGULATORY REFORM

Wednesday, September 9th, 2015 12:00 Noon Room 519 House Office Building

Representative Ray A. Franz, Chair, called the meeting to order.

Chair Franz requested attendance be called to establish a quorum of the appointed committee members:

Present: Reps. Franz, Brett Roberts, Yonker, Kesto, Lauwers, Crawford, Garcia, Iden, Dianda, Darany, Lane, Schor and Moss,

Absent: Reps. Courser and Chirkun

Excused: Rep. Chirkun

Representative Brett Roberts moved to approve the minutes of the June 17th, 2015 meeting.

There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid HB 4416 before the committee:

HB 4416 (Dianda)	Liquor; retail sales; sale, use, or possession of powdered alcohol; prohibit.
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The Chair laid the committee at ease the time being 12:07 p.m.

The Chair called the committee to order the time being 12:10 p.m.

The following people submitted testimony cards in support of the bill but did not wish to speak:

Christin Nohner, representing the Michigan Academy of Family Physicians
Brett Visner, representing the Michigan Beer and Wine Association
David Bertram, representing Michigan State University
Denise Sloan, representing the Michigan Academy of Pediatrics
Ben Bodkin, representing the Michigan Sheriffs Association
David Puck, representing the Michigan Licensed Beverage Association

The following person submitted a testimony card with a neutral position on the bill but did not wish to speak:

Julie Wendt, representing the Michigan Liquor Control Commission

Representative Dianda moved to report HB 4416 with recommendation. The motion prevailed by a vote of 13-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Franz, Brett Roberts, Yonker, Kesto, Lauwers, Crawford, Garcia, Iden,
Dianda, Darany, Lane, Schor and Moss,
Nays: None,
Pass: None.

The Chair laid SB 240 before the committee:

SB 240 (Jones) Liquor; retail sales; sale, use, or possession of powdered
alcohol; prohibit.

The following people submitted testimony cards in support of the bill but did not wish to speak:

Christin Nohner, representing the Michigan Academy of Family Physicians
Brett Visner, representing the Michigan Beer and Wine Association
David Bertram, representing Michigan State University
Denise Sloan, representing the Michigan Academy of Pediatrics
Ben Bodkin, representing the Michigan Sheriffs Association
David Puck, representing the Michigan Licensed Beverage Association
R. Mason Doer, representing the Michigan Licensed Beverage Association

The following person submitted a testimony card with a neutral position on the bill but did not wish to speak:

Julie Wendt, representing the Michigan Liquor Control Commission

Representative Kesto moved to report SB 240 with recommendation. The motion prevailed by a vote of 13-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Reps. Franz, Brett Roberts, Yonker, Kesto, Lauwers, Crawford, Garcia, Iden,
Dianda, Darany, Lane, Schor and Moss,
Nays: None,
Pass: None.

The Chair laid HB 4581 before the committee:

HB 4581 (Crawford) Liquor; authorized distribution agents; cap on the per case fee that
the commission pays to a vendor to offset cost of vendor
contracting with an authorized distribution agent; eliminate.

Representative Crawford and Brian Petuzzi, representing the Republic National Distributing Company testified on the bill. Questions and discussion followed.

The following people submitted testimony cards with a neutral position of the bill but did not wish to speak:

Julie Wendt, representing the Michigan Liquor Control Commission
David Puck, representing the Michigan Licensed Beverage Association

The Chair laid HB 4636 before the committee:

HB 4636 (Rendon) Occupations; insurance; sale of insurance for self-service storage units; eliminate license requirement.

Representative Rendon, Stacey Irwin, and Bill Perone testified on the bill. Questions and discussion followed.

The following person submitted a testimony card with a neutral position on the bill but did not wish to speak:

Gabe Basso, representing the Michigan Department of Insurance and Financial Services

The following people submitted testimony cards in opposition of the bill but did not wish to speak:

Will Lemanski, representing the Michigan Association of Insurance Agents

Pam Barker, representing the Michigan Association of Insurance Agents

Scott Hummel, representing the Michigan Association of Insurance Agents

Representative Dianda moved to excuse Representative Chirkun.

There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

There being no further business to come before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting the time being 12:55 p.m.

Representative Franz, Chair

Matthew Carnagie

Committee Clerk

September 9th, 2015

55 minutes

Date Approved and Signed